

**STATE OF MISSOURI  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service  
Commission held at its office  
in Jefferson City on the 13th  
day of June, 1997.

In the Matter of a Commission Inquiry into     )  
Retail Electric Competition.                     ) **Case No. EW-97-245**  
   )

**ORDER REGARDING WORKING GROUPS**

The Commission appointed 35 individuals to serve on the Task Force in its Order of May 23, 1997. Because vacancies may occur from time to time in the Task Force's membership, the Commission appoints the following individuals to serve as alternate members of the Task Force:

G. Duane Galloway	Senior Manager-Governmental Relations/Environment Affairs, City Utilities of Springfield
Donald Giljum	Local 148, Operating Engineers
Robert Jackson	Committee to Keep Missourians Warm

The alternates, like Task Force members, may present three-minute statements and issue outlines at the June 25 meeting of the Task Force, as described in the Commission's Order of May 23.

The Commission has also determined that five permanent Working Groups should be established:

- a. Market Structure
- b. Public Interest Protection
- c. Stranded Costs
- d. Reliability
- e. Market Power

Three permanent Committees should also be formed to assist the Working Groups. An Administrative Committee shall be formed by the Task Force Moderator to perform logistical and technical duties. An Executive

Committee, composed of the chairs of the Working Groups and presided over by the Moderator, shall be formed to coordinate the work of the Task Force and its Working Groups. Finally, a Legal Committee shall be formed to study and report on issues referred to it by the Working Groups or the Executive Committee from time to time.

The Commission requests that the Task Force establish the membership of the permanent Working Groups and the standing Committees, and provide the Commission with notice of those members by July 8, 1997.

The Market Structure Working Group should complete its report no later than November 4, 1997. The report of the Market Structure Working Group must be completed first in order to provide a foundation for the efforts of the other Working Groups. Other Working Groups and the Task Force as a whole may issue reports periodically, but they shall complete their final reports no later than February 15, 1998. At that time the commission will entertain recommendations on whether additional work should be undertaken.

The Task Force is at liberty to establish additional Working Groups as needed.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

1. That the following individuals are appointed to serve as alternate members of the Task Force:

G. Duane Galloway	Senior Manager-Governmental Relations/Environment Affairs, City Utilities of Springfield
Donald Giljum	Local 148, Operating Engineers
Robert Jackson	Committee to Keep Missourians Warm

2. That the following permanent Working Groups are hereby established:

- a. Market Structure
- b. Public Interest Protection
- c. Stranded Costs
- d. Reliability
- e. Market Power

3. That the following standing Committees are hereby established:

- a. Administrative Committee
- b. Executive Committee
- c. Legal Committee

4. That the report of the Market Structure Working Group shall be completed and filed no later than November 4, 1997.

5. That the reports of the other Working Groups and the Task Force as a whole shall be completed and filed no later than February 15, 1998.

6. That this order shall become effective on the date hereof.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

**Cecil I. Wright  
Executive Secretary**

( S E A L )

Crumpton, Drainer and Murray,  
CC., concur.  
Zobrist, Chm., and Lumpe, C.,  
absent.

ALJ: Luckenbill